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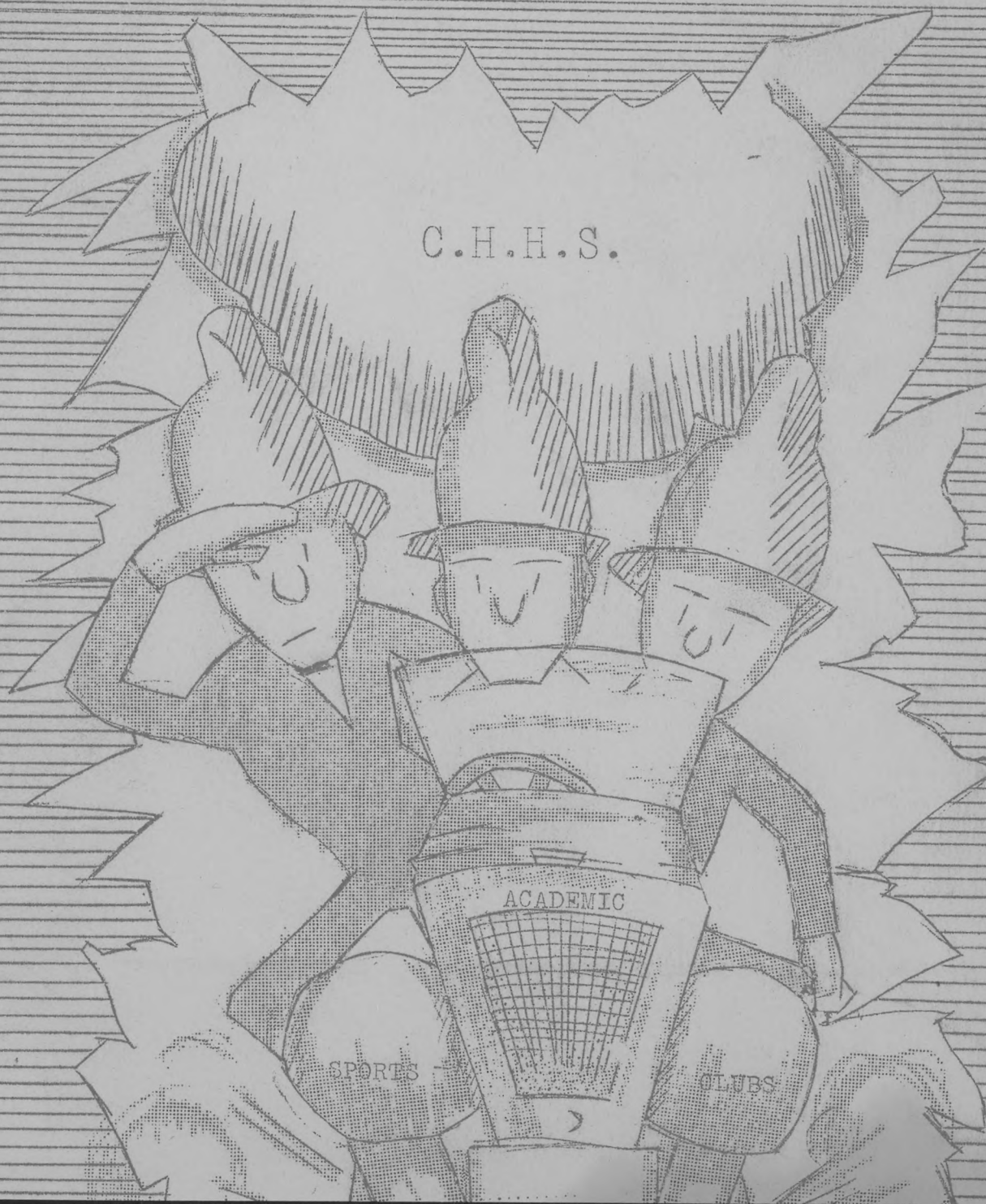
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EXPECT R.B. BENNETT TO PRESENT SCHOLARSHIPS

STUDENTS COUNCIL

Tuesday Oct. 17. - Although not definite it is expected that R.B. Bennett Prime Minister of Canada, will present the scholarships to C.H.C.I. students either this or tomorrow morning. He will only speak for ten minutes. The school will be assembled before Mr. Bennett arrives so that he will not have to wait.

The scholarship students are:
Grade 12.- David McKerricher.

Mary Faunt.

Each of these students made 100% in two subjects. David has taken five scholarships in succession.
Grade 11. - George Hargreaves.

At the conclusion of last year's term George moved to Vancouver so its up to some of the other Grade 12 students to win scholarships this year.

Grade 10. - Rachel MacKenzie.

Merwin Hannah.

They will not be resting upon their laurels but will be working as hard as ever this year.

Announcement has just been made, that Wesley Hewitt has won the Archie McKillop scholarship for this school.

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STOP PRESS !

Intermediates lose to East Calgary
13 - 0.

Gamma Phi representatives from
Boy's Hi-Y are Norman Lewin and
Wesley Hewitt.

The officials of the Students Council this year are;

President - Wilson McKenzie.

Vice-President - Harold Clark.

Secretary - Merle Robinson.

Miss McKellar, Mr. McLeod, and Mr. Brecken represent the teaching staff.

The Students Council will hold a meeting the second Tuesday of every month, but if any special business arises, a special meeting may be called any time.

At the first meeting it was decided to arrange a song sheet for the Students to use at the Lits etc. A committee is now busy on the sheets. The first Lit will be held on or around Oct. 27. The Dramatic club has a play ready, while Wilson McKenzie will give his presidential address and bring up any business. Get behind these officials and work. They desire your support.

We deeply regret to announce the sad death of Mrs. M. French. She is mourned by her husband, her son, William, her mother, two sisters, one of whom is Miss Giles and two brothers. The school and Siren staff extend their sincere condolences to Miss Giles and William French.

EXCHANGES; Commercial Comment.
Central Breeze.

Whitefish High School - Whitefish,
Montana.

ECHOES FROM THE EDITORS

THE STUDENTS COUNCIL

The Students Council is organized and ready to go. This year will determine the worth of the council. To make it successful we need your co-operation. Stand behind your representatives and give them your support. We can only learn the wishes of the students through the students. Give your ideas to your representative and the council will fulfill them as best as it is able. If you do your part the council will do their part and we will make this organization the best in Crescent Heights.

W. MacKenzie.
President.

INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTSMANSHIP

A writer in the Commercial Comment has the audacity to state that Crescent Heights have a poor brand of sportsmanship. In his article he begins to talk about Rugby and ends this way.

"They state in their Bugle that tough luck cost them the title. The injury of the goalie gave to Commercial the guerdon. We presume that the last sentence applies to hockey as we have never heard of a goalie in Rugby.

Well, in our opinion the writer is "all wet".

If we can recall it correctly, "Curly" Williams, the Senior goalie, was hurt in one of the games and was unable to play any more. This was of course tough luck for the Crescents as was stated in the Bugle.

But where does the poor sportsman-ship come? Commercial won the title and we gave them credit for it. We are certain that the hockey and rugby players down at Commercial (of course we don't know about the author) are not poor sports enough to gloat over a victory from a team that was not at full strength.

The last two Rugby games that this school took part in were demonstrations of fine interscholastic sportsmanship. A hurt opponent is always given a sympathetic cheer. This applies to all the schools. This and other little things all help to make interscholastic sportsmanship. Its the articles like the one from Commercial that spoil this sportsmanship.

HERE'S AN IDEA

Why not sing the school song at the beginning and close of each school function? This would help create school spirit. If this idea is carried out let's sing the song as though we meant it and not just mumble it!

WE DON'T MIND FILLING SPACE WITH THIS !

Dear Siren Staff,

Having known the Siren from its "puppy-days" I can truly say that its growth and development from a few sheets of paper to a flourishing magazine is certainly something to sing about.

I still have a copy of the first edition of the Siren ever published. From that issue to this latest one our school paper has shown itself worthy in every respect, of upholding the good name of C.H. C.I.

With so little material to work with I consider your efforts in the first edition remarkably good. The resort to the "Waste Basket" was a bright inspiration. Here's hoping you receive more material with which to "fill up space" next time.

If the Siren is an evidence of the school spirit of C.H.C.I. then we certainly have something behind us to push us right up and over the top.

G. Milesen.

We also want to mention that we received a letter signed "one who knows!"

CORRECTIONS IN LAST ISSUE !

On the students council list the name should be Bill Mitchell instead of Bill Marshall, the Boy's Hi-Y list the name H. Butts should be H. Butler. Accept our apologies boys.



CLUBS

BOY'S ATHLETIC HOLD LECTURE !

A very interesting and educational lecture by Mr. Kent of Vancouver was given a week ago Monday. Considering the day being Thanksgiving a good crowd attended, mostly adults. School functions will have to be attended better than this, by the students themselves to increase the school spirit.

CHORAL SOCIETY

The Choral Society has over 100 aspiring singers who turn out every Thursday at noon. Harold Clark is President, Sterling Gilbert - Librarian, Marie Lea - Secretary, Mary White - Students Council

CHESS CLUB

There is a chess club being formed for boys only, The club can use about 12 more members. See A. Langille R. 22 for particulars.

P. T. A.

At a successful meeting of the P.T.A. on Oct. 12, Mr. Aberhart gave an instructive address on the different courses. He explained the importance of the students picking their courses without wasting any units, which might cost a year of school. He stated also that the majority of students were following the requirements necessary for a Combined Course. We wish to take advantage of the opportunity and wish the P.T.A. every success during the coming school year.

Submitted by Woodrow.

Coward.

BIOGRAPHIES

MR. LIESEMER:

Mr. Liesemer is a native son of Alberta. He was born in Didsbury where he went to Public School. He became a freshman at Berkely California and a Junior at Central High, Calgary. Before he came to Crescent Heights Mr. Liesemer taught at Didsbury and MacLeod. This is his fourth year at C.H.C.I. Instead of saying "Come to order" to R. 6 we think Mr. Liesemer should say, "come to".

MR. LAURIE:

Born in the largest city in the world - London - where there are more Scotmen than there are in Aberdeen. At a very early age heard of the slogan "Go west, young man" and so travelled to Canada, then back to the Old Country several times - attended schools in both England and Canada. Entered Trinity College, University of Toronto and, after some interruption for a little flying, graduated. Came to Alberta for a visit in 1917. Returned to live in Alberta in 1920. Happened to begin teaching a few days later, and have taught more or less ever since - country schools, Western Canada College, C.H.C.I.

ANNOUNCEMENT EXTRAORDINARY !

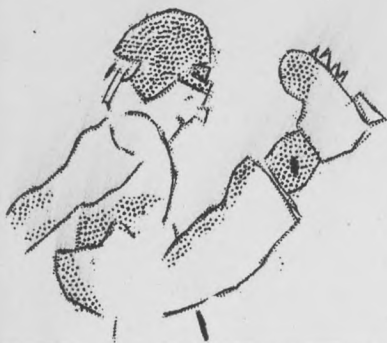
All students and teachers must leave the building at the sound of the fire gong, except the freshmen. (Green things don't burn.)

Tonight: Crescents vs. St. Mary's.
Hillhurst. 4.30.

The Siren Screams

" LAUGH WITH EVERYONE BUT NOT AT ANYONE "

- Mr. Liesemer - Some people maintain that the modern type of girl is going out.
- Mr. McLeod - Yes, every night.
- Waiter - (making out bill) Was it thick or clear soup you had?
- Mr. Watts - So you're wondering too, eh?
- Shirley Mitchell - What shall I do? Howard has been under the water for twenty minutes.
- Dot Phillips - Let's go home. I wouldn't wait that long for any man.
- Bernard Holt was reading a newspaper. Suddenly he looked up and said, to Leonard Glover, "What's a parasite."
- "Search me," said Leonard.
- A rooster, not satisfied with his hens, one day found an ostrich egg. Calling the hens together, he showed it to them saying, "I don't mean to belittle your attempts but just look what other folks are doing."
- We used to worry about what to do with our old razor blades --- now we shave with them.
- Jim Barnes (seeing a peacock for the first time) - Gee! look, there's a rooster in bloom.
- Howard Butler (at ball) - Hail me, O Slave, I am the high Prince of Isis.
- Kay Green - Splendid, I'll have vanilla.
- Wife - When I die you'll never find another wife like me.
- Husband - What in the world makes you think I want to find another woman like you?
- Mother - When that naughty boy started to throw stones at you why didn't you come and tell me, instead of throwing stones back at him.
- Young Son - Tell you, mother! Why you couldn't hit a haystack!
- Friend - I see you're letting your little son drive the car.
- Mr. Smith - Yes, but he's still too young to be trusted as a pedestrian.
- Lawrence Miller (in Science) - Dust is mud with the juice squeezed out.
- S. Fulton - Don't you think love is absurd?
- S. Aitken - Yes, just two silly.
- According to scientists the moon throws back radio waves. We don't blame it!
- THE WASTE BASKET. (continued)
- Which reminds me of Susie, dear old Susie--- Her complaint was a certain undesirable rotundity. She started dieting but that didn't last long. She decided she'd rather die eating. Get it? Yes, I thought you would.
- And so from failing hand we throw... Thanksgiving! Come, and gone again; A day of peaceful joy for men, But all that I remember now Brings furrows to my youthful brow. Of all those pleasures, none remain, Instead, an aching, gnawing pain Has settled in the region where I stowed my Sunday bill-of-fare.
- And for those with agile tongues, try this on toast for breakfast..... "Seth says Tess's shawl and sash show six shabby stitches."



REPORT



SENIORS BREAK EVEN, JUN. AND INTER. LOSE !

GORDON AND STEVENSON
STAR IN BOTH SENIOR GAMES.

In the most bitterly fought game so far, the Crescents came from behind to win their first game against Western 8-4. Western was leading 4-0 at the end of the first half. Gordon with his hefty boot, and Stevenson with brilliant line plunging led the team to victory in the second half. After several tries Dodds kicked two field goals for 6 points, while Gordon was responsible for the other two.

CRESCENTS 3 CENTRAL 18.

Central blasted Crescent's championship hopes last Thursday with a well earned victory. Fumbles by the Crescents gave the heavier Central bunch many of their points, Gordon was outstanding for Crescents while Dodds kicked a field goal;

The team - Dodds, Gordon, Stevenson, Jeffery, Bennett, Turner, Peacock, Dobson, McCush, Shantz, Compton, Peterson, Hooper, Kendrick, Reynolds, Rabkin, Balkin, Campbell, Dawson, Donaldson.

INTERMEDIATES LOSE 15 - 6.

The Wright brothers with Duncan Watson were outstanding for the Intermediates when they lost to Central by a score of 15 - 6. Central had a much heavier line.

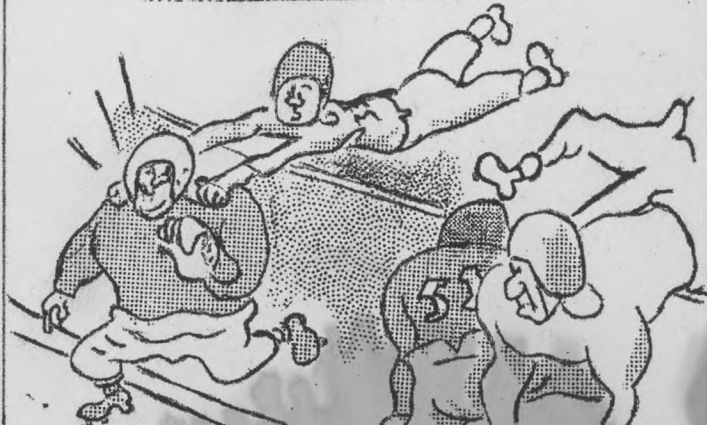
The team - E. Wright, B. Wright, Watson, Davidson, Varrier, Gahn, McFall, Simper, Harling, Ho Lem, Rosenthal, Gurevitch, Hannan, Starr, Tuskey, Wight.

JUNIORS 5 CENTRAL 13.

Central seems to be the bugaboo for the Crescent teams this year. This is the first game for most of the Junior players this year. Central got 11 points in the first half, while the Crescents scored in the second half. Herby Dann made a run of 60 yards to score a touchdown, for the smartest play of the game.

Lineup - Dann, Armitage, Repp, Johnson, Kheong, Wannop, Brown, Howie, L.Wong, Gerlitz, Dunbar, Jordon, Wong Barnes, Laurie, Wright, McDonald, Holosko, Lofgren.

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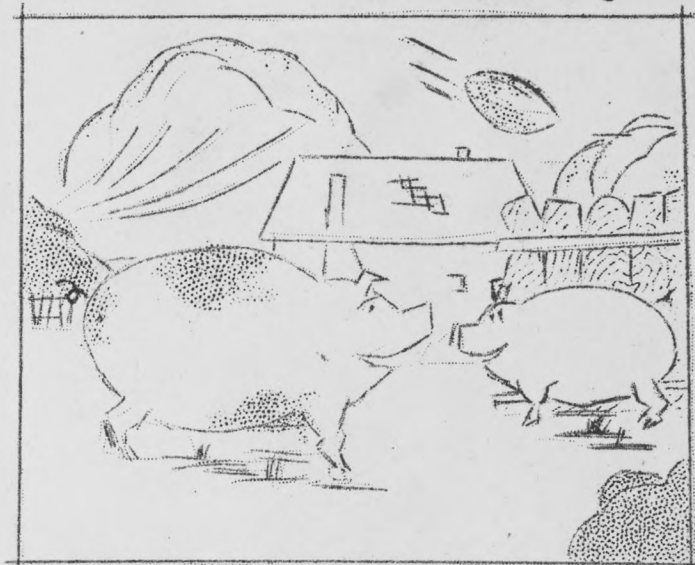
"When we get opposite your gal, you pinch me an' I'll fall down !"



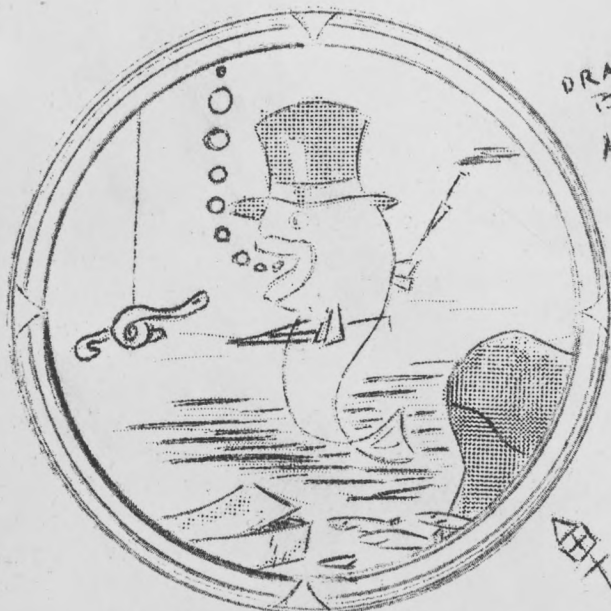
Hi Eena, above, spent the night at the hotel on account of his wife sent him to the store for animal crackers and he came home with dog biscuits. He also has lump on the top of his head on account of a rolling pin hit him there.

STILL

VISIONAL  
VISION



" There goes poor Uncle Percy "



The glub-glub fish caught in a nonchalant pose by our staff photographer. This native of the Amazon exists on a diet of bananas and eats his corn flakes every morning

DRAWN  
BY  
MIKE



IN NOO YAWK

LIGHTS

FROM THE

FIRE

### THE BARON GOES HOLLYWOOD !

This is an account of the first interview with the Baron about Hollywood.

"Well Baron, What do you think of Hollywood ?"

"Do I have to or should ve get off at the next station ?"

"Is this your first visit, Baron?"

"Not on your life, I'm a native son, a forty-niner."

"A native son ? I'm surprised, Baron, I thought -"

"Sure, I've been forty-nine years trying to get here."

"But this is your first motion picture I'm sure."

"Sure you are. Vell, I was in the Convertible Sedan - The closed car - the Sheltered Buggy."

"You mean the Covered Wagon ?"

"Sure, that's it, I was the parachute jumper in that picture."

"But, Baron, they had no parachute jumper."

"Vas you an actor ?"

"No, but -"

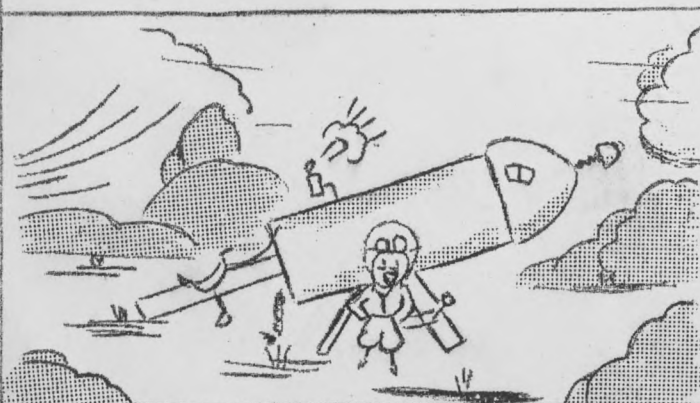
"And so I was the parachute jumper"

"Have you appeared in any other picture ?"

"Sure, Cecil and Sally, - Frankie and Johnny ---"

"You mean Min and Bill ?"

"Sure I vas Min."



Remarkable tintype portraying the Baron's cousin Hugo, about to depart in his special rocket for the moon, where he will prospect for green cheese for the Limburger Company.

"Oh, come come, Baron, That was Marie Dressler."

"That's what everybody thought but it was the Baron."

"Who is your favorite radio performer?"

"The Baron."

"Who is your favorite actor ?"

"The Baron."

"Have you ever had your face lifted, Baron ?"

"Sure, now I have to stand on a chair to brush my teeth."

"One more question, Baron, I suppose you played Moses in The Ten Commandments ?"

"No, that was my Cousin Hugo !"

### THE WASTE BASKET.

What ho! fellow pirates, here he is again, your old burbling playmate, who incidentally just arose from an all-night logging bee and brushed the sawdust out of his eyes to find on his memo the following: Empty the waste basket (garbage to you). Right on top, in all its unwholesome fragrance I found a selection which has been mouldering in my scrapbook for lo, these many years:

Did you ever get a streak  
That left you sort of weak  
But happy as a lark all the same?  
Did you ever have a feelin'  
That seemed to leave you reelin'  
The sort of thing you couldn't give  
a name ?

Well, let me tell you now,  
Don't wrinkle up your brow,  
It's nothin' worthwhile thinkin'  
much about;  
Just find yourself a dove  
Cause you're prob'ly needin' love,  
That's the cure that I'd prescribe  
Without a doubt.

From Milton's words of wisdom  
Much good the student reaps;  
While teacher reads his noble lines  
The back-seat student sleeps.

(Continued on joke page.)





SOCIETY

"ALLAN-BANE"

BY  
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Forth from the crystal ball this week comes the news that Bill Mitchell was seen walking with three girls Sunday night! Three mind you, and here I can't handle one! Then there's those two girls up in R. 19 that are awfully disturbed over reports to the Editor. One of these girls is giving sweet smiles to a boy in R.19 who reminds her of some past history (?). Just the same I'd like to get in on those smiles. Then this other girl is accused of being seen walking with a certain young man. One girl is named Dot, the other Dora and one of the boys is W.D. Funny how some of these people get their names on this page so often. Here's Emily Wilson again. This time its Wilson McKenzie. And with Charlie Miller this time it's Marj. Dingle. I also understand that Grace Purchase won't speak to Charlie anymore. Forget "les Femmes" Chuck, forget 'em! There are certain little things that I have been wondering about and would like to get off my chest. Mary Parker's boy friend has er - ah - gone and I'd like to know what Mary thinks about it. Then, Jessie Wilson, I understand, did not buy a ticket to the first Rugby game until she saw a certain blonde boy selling them. Explain, please Jessie. I am sorry to hear Betty Alton has a broken heart. May I offer my sympathies, Betty? Louise Bucklee is going places with "Scotty" Campbell, but what does Bert do in a case like that? Morris McCullough insists on turning around and talking to Estelle McLintock in Algebra. But I see trouble brewing. There's a certain word starting with R that means

a lot to Eileen Faulkner and Ronald Mitchell. You know folks, Muriel Waters admitted that she would rather think of F. Holloway than do her homework. Imagine that! An old C.H.H.S. student comes to our yell practices just to hear Sylvia Gully's voice. 'Nough said! It looks as if Margaret Hicklen and Cecil Rayburn have more than something in common. A certain girl in R.2 amuses herself by chatting with Jim Crist between periods. Small things ..... you complete it, Toots. I thought B. Jeffery was behaving himself, but no, impossible! You've heard lots about triangles, well this triangle consists of Bernard, Bertha Holden, and a hat. That took the lid off it!

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Jack Brooks held a party a week ago. Rumor has it that B. Dunn and Gwen Driver had a split-up at the party. Gwen left him flat then and there. There is of course another girl! Everywhere I go I see Gladys Mileson and Gerald Musgrove together. Other things I hear;--- Nelson Ghan has crush on Laura Willet - Jean Cove keeps her eye on a certain gentleman in R.22 - Duncan Watson is interested in a young lady in the spare 4th. period - Stuart Aitken has some attraction down at Central Church. Have you heard the soup song? The coat and pants do all the work, and the vest gets all the gravy.

Allan-Bane

